

# HISTORICAL TRAUMA IN THE AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE COMMUNITY

**DATE & TIME:** June 23, 2015

**9:00 AM – 3:30 PM**

*All registration is completed on the Learning Net prior to the training. Sign-in begins 30 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period. Late arrivals will not be admitted.*

**PLACE:** DPSS Equitable Towers Building  
3435 Wilshire Blvd., 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Testing Room  
Los Angeles, CA 90010

**PARKING:** Parking is \$6.00 to \$14.00 in various lots

The training will outline the effects of historical trauma in the American Indian (AI)/ Alaska Native(AN) community. Cultural identity, boarding schools, Urban Indian relocation programs, substance abuse, violence, depression, PTSD, suicide and internalized oppression will be reviewed in the training. Additionally the training will focus on effective community healing models which address the impact of historical trauma and promote resiliency—all relevant when providing services to AI/AN consumers.

**TARGET AUDIENCE:** DMH Staff and Contractors

**OBJECTIVES:** As a result of attending this training, participants should be able to:

1. Identify American Indian/Alaska Native cultural traditions.
2. Examine the effects and symptoms of historical trauma on the American Indian/Alaska Native community.
3. Identify three cultural strategies when engaging the American Indian/Alaska Native community.
4. Describe specific interventions that enhance engagement and promote mental health services in the American Indian/Alaska Native community.
5. Discuss community –based approaches and evidence-based models which integrate cultural elements relevant to the community.

**CONDUCTED BY:** Carrie Johnson, Ph.D. & Daniel Dickerson, DO, MPH

**COORDINATED BY:** Su Jung Kim, LCSW, Training Coordinator

**DEADLINE:** When maximum capacity is reached

**CONTINUING  
EDUCATION:** 5 CEUs for BBS, BRN, & CAADAC  
5 CEs for psychologists

**COST** None

DMH Employees register at:  
<http://learningnet.lacounty.gov>

Contract Providers complete  
attached training application

☒ Cultural Competency ☐ Pre-licensure ☐ Law and Ethics ☐ Clinical Supervision ☒ General



**County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health**  
**NON-DMH STAFF TRAINING APPLICATION FORM**  
**Please Print or Type**



**Instructions**

Each individual must complete a separate application form for each training he/she wishes to attend. Please complete the application in full. Applications will not be processed with incomplete or inaccurate information. Notification of registration confirmation for a training will be provided by the training coordinator. Unless otherwise specified, walk-in registrations will not be admitted.

For trainings, sign-in begins 30 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period. Late arrivals will not be permitted.

*This form is not to be used for LPS Designation Training. The LPS Application is available at [lacdmh.lacounty.gov/training&workforce.html](http://lacdmh.lacounty.gov/training&workforce.html).*

**Training Title**

(as in DMH bulletin): Historical Trauma in the American Indian/Alaska Native Community

Date(s): June 23, 2015

Training Coordinator: Su Jung Kim, LCSW

**County Employee Number**

(non-county employees supply the last four digits of the SSN)

Name

Program, Service or  
Agency

Job Title

Address

City

Zip Code

Telephone

Email

**License or Credential Number(s)** (complete as many as applicable)

CAADAC

LCSW

LPT

LVN

MD

MFT

Psychologist

RN

Supervisor's Approval (Applications will not be processed if not signed by supervisor)

For processing, please return Application to:

**County of Los Angeles – DMH**  
**Workforce Education and Training (WET)**  
**695 S. Vermont Ave., 15<sup>th</sup> Floor**  
**Los Angeles, CA 90005**

Print Supervisor Name

**Fax: (213) 252-8775**

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Supervisor's Signature

*(When faxing, there is no need to use a cover sheet)*